



## Screening Information Request (SIR) *Questions and Answers*

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**"QUESTION #1:** Are existing LAAS GIP teams exempt from responding to this SIR, or is it the FAA's intent that existing teams respond?

**ANSWER:** There is no reason why teams which are already participating in LAAS GIP partnerships would need to respond to the LAAS GIP SIR (DTFA01-98-R-00002, Amendment No. 0001)."

**"QUESTION #2:** Does the sentence, "Proposal volumes must be signed by authorized representatives of the teams," require a cover letter and/or sheet signed by an authorized representative of all members of each team, or can an authorized individual sign for the team?

**ANSWER:** FAA may accept a proposal where one authorized individual signs on behalf of the entire team. However, the signing individual is responsible to ensure that he or she in fact has authority to act as signing agent for each and every member of the proposed team. Alternatively, FAA may accept cover letters or sheets containing an appropriate array of signatures by authorized representatives of proposed team members, provided no team member or members is/are omitted.

**QUESTION #3:** Does the phrase, "explain and substantiate the significant features of each design and overall technical approach," refer to each product in a team's approach or the design and approach for the team as a whole?

**ANSWER:** The phrase refers to the design and/or approach for the team as a whole. However, it is possible that there may be an individual product (or products) which is (or are) sufficiently important to a team's design and/or overall technical approach that explanation and substantiation of the significant features would need to be included in a responsive proposal."